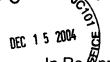
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PETITION FOR SUSPENSION OF ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.103

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for the suspension of action in this application. At the present time, no outstanding action exists in this application. The suspension of action is requested for the reasonable time period of three months, and a check is enclosed for the necessary fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i).

Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any shortage of fees in connection with this response.

Respectfully submitted,

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